

## REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 2873

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of: MIHARA

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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AFTER Final-

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 14, 2005, a response to which is due June 14, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows: